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Applicants request that the following art be considered in  
the examination of the above-captioned application:

<u>U.S. Patent No.</u>	<u>Inventor</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
4,797,882	Maxemchuk	Jan 10, 1989
5,481,532	Hassan et al.	Jan 2, 1996
6,046,978	Melnik	Apr 4, 2000
6,097,703	Larsen et al.	Aug 1, 2000

A copy of each of the above patents is enclosed, along with  
an Information Disclosure Citation form. Also enclosed is a  
copy of the International Search Report.

This prior art was cited, on May 17, 2001, in a co-pending  
PCT patent application, PCT/US01/05467, and was received at the

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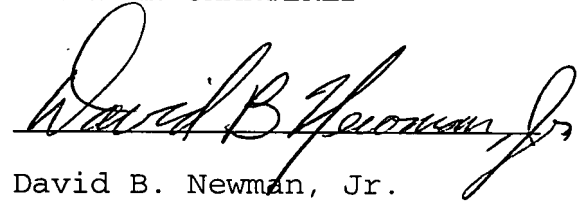
office of the undersigned within the past ten days. Further, no office action has been received in this case. Accordingly, no fee is due.

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